

WHEREAS, March 8, 1873 marked the entry into the world at Kirmundy, Illinois, of one August F. Goldhammer; and,

WHEREAS, August spent his younger years in Milford and Rushville, Nebraska, and while in Rushville he freighted supplies by team and wagon to the Pine Ridge Indian Reservation in South Dakota; and,

WHEREAS, August was in Rushville at the time Buffalo Bill picked a troupe of fifty Indian men to perform in his Wild West Show in Europe; and,

WHEREAS, In 1895 August and his brother, Louis, moved to South Dakota and settled in Charles Mix County; and,

WHEREAS, On March 13, 1907, August and Susanna Going of Lyons, Nebraska, were united in marriage, and in March of 1971 they celebrated their Sixty-Fourth Wedding Anniversary; and,

WHEREAS, August resides at the Good Samaritan Center in Wagner where he continues to remain very active, even to the extent of bowling occasionally; and,

WHEREAS, We are extremely proud and fortunate to have among our citizenry fine individuals of the caliber of August Goldhammer; and,

WHEREAS, The One Hundred Second Anniversary of the birth of August is worthy of public recognition in South Dakota; and,

WHEREAS, It is fitting and proper that the Governor make note of this momentous occasion;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, RICHARD F. KNEIP, Governor of the State of South Dakota, do hereby declare Saturday, March 8, 1975, as

AUGUST F. GOLDHAMMER DAY

in South Dakota, and urge his many friends to join in celebration on this day.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I
have hereunto set my hand
and affixed the Great Seal
of the State of South Dakota,
in Pierre, the Capital City,
this 6th day of March, in the
Year of Our Lord, Nineteen
Hundred and Seventy-Five

Richard F. Kneip
RICHARD F. KNEIP, GOVERNOR

ATTEST:

Lorna B. Herse
LORNA B. HERSETH, SECRETARY OF STATE

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